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March 16, 2007

The Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Hawaii Public Utilities Commission
465 South King Street
Kekuanaoa Building, 1st Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

Subject: Docket No. 2006-0386
HECO 2007 Test Year Rate Case

On February 15, 2007, the Commission issued Order No. 23262 in the above subject proceeding that required Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. ("HECO") and the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Division of Consumer Advocacy ("Consumer Advocate"), to submit a stipulated procedural schedule within thirty days. The submitted procedural schedule should, to the extent possible, allow the Commission to complete its deliberations and issue a decision within nine months and set forth the issues and procedures to govern the proceeding.

Pursuant to the Order, HECO and the Consumer Advocate began negotiating the procedural schedule but, to date, have been unable to finalize. HECO respectfully requests an extension to March 27, 2007, in order to complete negotiations and submit the stipulated procedural schedule. The Consumer Advocate does not object to this request.

If you have any questions, please call Dean Matsuura at 543-4622.

Sincerely,

cc: Division of Consumer Advocacy
Thomas W. Williams, Jr., Esq.

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